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Court of Probate, Little Compton, July 14.

Application was made to this Court by David Shaw, Executor to the will of

NOAH SHAW,

late of said Little Compton, dec., for notice of settlement of his account as Executor aforesaid, at the next session of the Court.

It is ordered that Legal notice be given of the settlement of the same with this Court at a Court of Probate to be held at the Town Hall in said Little Compton on Monday the 11th day of August next, at one o'clock, P. M., where all interested may appear and be heard. By order, witness,

OTIS WILBOR, Probate Clerk.

Music & Musical Instruments,

At Rileys No. 297 Broadway, between Duane & Read streets, New York.

F. RILEY, & CO.

WOULD respectfully call the attention of Families returning South and others, to their extensive stock of Music and Instruments, to which they add continually, the newest and most fashionable music as soon as published. The communication with the city being so frequent, that orders received by mail whether large or small can be returned with the utmost dispatch.

Military Bands supplied. Seminars dealt with on liberal terms. July 19, 1845.—1mo.

Commissioners' & Administrators' Notice.

THE subscribers having been appointed by the Court of Probate for the town of Newport, Commissioners to receive and examine the claims against the estates of Mary Mumford, widow, and Sarah A. Mumford, single woman, both late of Newport, deceased, represented insolvent; and six months from June 9th, having been allowed on the estate of Mary Mumford, and six months from July 7th was allowed on the estate of Sarah Ann Mumford for the creditors to present and prove their respective claims; we will attend at the Counting Room of John V. Hammett, on the first Saturday evenings of November, December and January next, at 7 o'clock, for the purpose of deciding on such claims.

PETER P. REMINGTON, Comm'r
JOHN V. HAMMETT, Comm'r
THOMAS SPOONER, Comm'r

The subscriber having been appointed Administrator with the Will annexed on the estate of Mary Mumford, and Administrator on the estate of Sarah Ann Mumford, he requests all persons indebted to either of said estates to make immediate payment.

CLARKE BURDICK, Adm'r.
Newport, July 19, 1845.

Savings' Bank.

At a meeting of the Corporation of the SAVINGS' BANK, held July 18th 1845, the following named gentlemen were chosen Directors of the Institution, for the ensuing year, viz.—George Engs, Isaac Gould, George Bowen, Benjamin Finch, Charles E. Hammett, Josiah S. Munroe, Stephen T. Northam, David Melvill, Job Sherman, Nathaniel Sweet, Robert B. Cranston, John Stevens, Adam S. Coe, Samuel Brown, Robert P. Lee, Edwin Wilbur, William Sherman, John V. Hammett, Benjamin H. Ailman, Benjamin Marsh, Jr., William C. Cozzens, Benjamin H. Tisdale, Thomas W. Brown, George T. Weaver, George W. Cole. And at a subsequent meeting of the Directors on the same day, the following officers were chosen for the ensuing year: George Engs, President; Charles Gyles, Treasurer; and

B. B. HOWLAND, Sec'y.
Newport, July 19, 1845.

Savings' Bank.

A DIVIDEND was declared This Day, of two per cent on all sums that have been in for the space of six months, and one per cent on all sums that have been in for the space of three months, agreeably to the regulations of the institution, payable on and after Saturday, the 19th inst.

C. GYLES, Treasurer.

Newport, July 19, 1845.

FARE REDUCED.

THE New Haven has reduced her fare from \$1 to 50 cents, between Newport and New York, over the Long Island Rail Road. N. GIFFORD, Agent.
July 26.

Day Line for New York.

By Long Island Rail Road and splendid steamer New Haven.

The steamer NEW HAVEN, Capt. Van Pelt, will leave Long Wharf, Newport, on Tuesdays, Thursdays and Saturdays at half past 10 o'clock a. m. for Greenport, when passengers will take the Long Island Rail Road cars and arrive in New York about 6 o'clock. Returning will leave New York every Monday, Wednesday and Friday, at 3 o'clock a. m., arriving at Newport at about 5 p. m. Fare from Newport to Providence 25 cents.

This cannot fail to be the most pleasant route to New York.

The baggage will be forwarded in crates through.

No Monopoly.

Independent Line for New York, via Newport.

The staunch & commodious steamer NEPTUNE, Capt. Rollins, will leave Long Wharf, Newport, every Tuesday, Thursday and Saturday, until further notice, at about half past 7 o'clock, p. m. for New York. The Neptune is now in the most complete order, having been furnished with a pair of new boilers, and many valuable improvements added to her engine and machinery, by which her speed is much increased. Several new state rooms have been added, and her accommodations otherwise enlarged and improved. The travelling public who consult safety, comfort, economy, and speed, will do so by patronizing this boat, as she is believed to be the safest sea boat in the country.

Merchandise generally, 5 cents per foot. Boots, shoes, bonnets and hats, 4 cents per foot.

Goods consigned to the agent at Newport, will be shipped free of commissions or storage. Tickets sold, and Berths and State rooms secured at No 142 Thames st. and at the office on the wharf, anytime before the boat arrives.

CHARLES N. TILLEY, Agent.
Newport, July 19.

New Arrangement FOR NEW YORK.

The splendid steamer MASSACHUSETTS, Captain J. Comstock, having been put in superior order, has commenced her regular trips on the outside route, via Newport.

Leaves Newport every Monday, Wednesday & Friday Evenings at 8 o'clock.

Freight is reduced to 4 cents per foot for measurement goods.

For freight or passage apply to

ANTHONY STEWART, Agent.
June 21.

FOR NEW YORK. THE SPLENDID STEAM BOAT TELEGRAPH,

CAPT. WISWALL,

will leave Long Wharf, Newport, on Monday evening next about 8 o'clock.

Regular days from Newport, Mondays, Wednesdays and Fridays.

This Boat has recently been put in the most complete order, and is now as competent to perform her trips as any Steamboat on the Sound. In order to insure safety she carries, in addition to the ordinary Quarter Boats, one of Ingersoll's Patent Life Boats, (capable of supporting 100 persons), and a powerful Fire Engine, besides Hose Attachments to the propelling Engine.

All kinds of Freight taken at the lowest rates.

Passengers by this boat will arrive in New York in time to take the morning boats for the South and West.

June 21.

FOR SALE.

ON board the Schr Brilliant, Capt. Leavitt, about 3,700 Bushels white Southern CORN. A sample can be seen at No. 14, Stevens' Wharf.

Apply to ROBERT STEVENS.
Newport, July 26, 1845.

GUANO.

TEN TONS AFRICAN GUANO, in Barrels, for sale by

G. BOWEN, & CO.
Newport, July 26, 1845.

POETRY.

The Emigrant's Lament.

I'm sitting on the stile, Mary,
Where we sat side by side,
On a bright May morning long ago,
When first you were my bride;
The corn was springing fresh and green,
And the lark sang loud and high,
And the red was on your lips, Mary,
And the love-light in your eye.

The place is little changed, Mary,
The day is bright as then;
The lark's loud song is in my ear,
And the corn is green again—
But I miss the soft clasp of your hand,
And your breath warm on my cheek,
And I still keep listening for the words
You never more may speak.

'Tis but a step down yonder lane,
And the little church stands near,
The church where we were wed, Mary,
I see the spire from here.
But the church-yard lies between, Mary,
And my step might break your rest,
For I've laid you, darling, down to sleep,
With your baby on your breast.

I'm very lonely now, Mary,
For the poor make no new friends,
But oh! they love the better far
The few our Father sends!
And you were all I had, Mary,
My blessing and my pride;
I've nothing left to care for now,
Since my poor Mary died!

Yours was the brave good heart, Mary,
That still kept hoping on,
When the trust in God had left my soul
And my strong arm's strength was gone.
There was comfort ever on your lip,
And the kind look on your brow,
I bless you for the same, Mary,
Though you cannot hear me now.

I thank you for the patient smile,
When the heart was fit to break,
When the hunger pain was gnawing there
And you hid it for my sake;
I bless you for the pleasant word,
When your heart was sad and sore,
Oh! I'm thankful you are gone, Mary,
Where grief can't reach you more.

I'm bidding you a long farewell,
My Mary, kind and true,
But I'll not forget you, darling,
In the land I'm going to.
They say there's bread and work for all,
And the sun shines always there,
But I'd not forget my country,
Were it fifty times as fair.

And often in those grand old woods,
I'll sit and shut my eyes,
And my heart will travel back again,
To the place where Mary lies;
And I'll think I see the little stile,
Where we sat side by side,
And the springing corn and the bright
May morn'.

When first you were my bride.

A Chronological Account of all material Occurrences from the first settlement of RHODE ISLAND.

1791.

At the Annual Election holden at Newport on the first Wednesday of May, the following persons were elected officers:

Arthur Fenner, Governor.
Samuel J. Potter, Deputy Governor.

Assistants.

Thos. G. Hazard, James Congdon,
Peleg Arnold, Thomas Hoxie,
James Arnold, Thomas Holden,
Caleb Gardner, Job Watson,
John Cook, John Harris,

Henry Ward, Secretary.

Ray Greene, Attorney General.
Henry Shurburne, Treasurer.

Events of the Year.

At the February session an Act was passed, granting Duncan Kelly, permission to erect a Toll Bridge over Kelly's Ferry in Warren.

Henry Ward, Ray Greene and Samuel Eddy were appointed a Committee to revise the laws.

Ray Greene, Esq. was appointed U. S. District Attorney in place of Wm. Channing deceased.

The Schooner Polly Capt. Samuel Jeffers, arrived at Newport in April from Cape Francois; the Polly was captured soon after leaving port by a Piratical Bermuda Privateer who took out all hands but the Master and Mate, and put on board a Prize Master and three men and ordered her for Bermuda. Capt. Jeffers when near Bermuda, with the assistance of his Mate retook his vessel and put the Prize Master and crew in irons, and succeeded in bringing his vessel safely into port.

The French General Rochambeau, late commander of the forces in Martinique arrived at Newport in April, in a British armed vessel, he having stipulated in the capitulation of that Island, that he should be sent to Rhode Island and the garrison to France.

The celebrated Count de Estaing, who commanded the French fleet at the time of Sullivan's expedition on Rhode Island, was guillotined on the 3d of May at Paris, on a charge of conspiracy.

The British sloop of War Nautilus, Capt. Boynton, arrived at Newport on the 8th of May, having on board the French Governor of St. Lucia, with his Suite, that place having been taken by the British. The Legislature of Rhode Island being in session at the time, information was laid before them that a number of American Citizens were detained on board the Nautilus, thereupon they resolved that the Captain and Lieutenant who were on shore should be detained, until a Committee should visit said Ship, which they accordingly did, and procured the release of six impressed Seamen.

Benjamin Bourn and Francis Malbone were elected members of Congress by a large majority over Joseph Stanton and Peleg Arnold.

DEATHS THIS YEAR.

Hon. Caleb Greene formerly Chief Justice of the Supreme Court died at Coventry in January, at an advanced age.

Job Scott of Providence, a respectable minister in the Society of Friends, died in Ireland while on a religious visit.

Stephen Ayrault, formerly an eminent merchant of Newport, died in April aged 85 years.

Robert Lightfoot, formerly of Newport and a Judge of Admiralty before the Revolution, died at Plainfield Conn. Aug. 21.

Hon. Gideon Comstock, formerly one of the Assistants and afterwards a Judge of the Supreme Court died at Providence Oct. 11, aged 85 years.

John Henry formerly Manager of the old Company of Comedians, died suddenly on the 6th of Oct. on his passage to Newport from New York. He was considered the Father of the American Stage.

Samuel Fowler, Esq. for many years a respectable merchant, died at Newport Nov. 17, aged 76 years.

Robert Lightfoot was born in London, and was educated at Oxford, he studied law in the Inner Temple and was appointed by the British Government, Judge of Vice Admiralty for the Southern Colonies. He entered on the duties of his office, but the climate inflicting his health he came to Newport for its restoration, which he afterwards made his residence. Judge Lightfoot is described as an accomplished classical scholar and a great wit and humorist, his society was courted by every social circle and he was considered as the oracle of literary men in Newport.

After the Revolution he took up his residence at Plainfield (Conn.) where he died suddenly, Aug 21st, 1794, aged about 78 years.

Deferred Articles.

Remedy against Hydrophobia.—The Glasgow Argus mentions a remedy for the bite of rabid animals, applied by Dr David Burns, (brother of the traveller Sir Alexander,) in the case of two ladies in that city. They were in the parlor of a hotel, when a large dog entered, but both severely, and ran off. Dr. Burns, was in the hotel, having been on a tour in the Highlands with Lord and Lady Hamre. Dr Burns, on learning the nature of the accident, instantly cauterized, cupped, and excised the wounds; and had also recourse to the singular method of making the patients suck their wounds. This course the Dr recommended ten years ago in the Lancet; and he says that no danger whatever is to be feared from it, if the mouth and lips are free from sores or chaps.

Illuminated Shot.—Lt. O'Reilly, R. N., Hornsea, has succeeded in illuminating a shot used in Capt. Mansby's apparatus, by means of which a communication in cases of shipwreck can be effected in the darkest nights with the greatest certainty. A fusee is fitted to the shot, and, when discharged, it affords a splendid light, capable of withstanding the power of water. Objects within its range became distinctly visible, whereby the projector is enabled to see the direction of his aim, and the people on board distinguish the light, which is attached to the projectile, should it pass over any part of the rigging or yards aloft.

There was quite a hurricane in New York on Tuesday morning about three o'clock accompanied with heavy rain.—Some of the trees in the Park were blown down, and much damage was caused to window blinds, awnings, &c.

Immortality.—Man at the age of twenty, retains not a particle of the matter in which his mind was invested when he was born. Nevertheless, at the age of eighty years, he is as conscious of being the same individual he was as far back as his memory can go; that is to say, the period when he was four or five years old. Whatever it be, therefore, in which this consciousness of identity resides, it cannot consist of a material substance, since it has been destroyed. It is, consequently, an ethereal spirit: as it remains the same throughout all the alterations that take place in the body, it is not dependant on the body for its existence, and is calculated to survive the ever changing frame by which it is encased.

Apples Baked in the Sun.—A number of apples which had been baked in the sun were brought to our office on Thursday. A gentleman from East Hartford informed us yesterday, that he could pick up a bushel under his trees, which were baked in the same way. We think no further evidence is necessary to settle the character of the weather.

Hartford Courant.

Robbery at Nashville.—We understand that a gentleman named Bronson, a stranger in our city, was knocked down last night in the Market House and robbed of about \$2,500. Such an outrage in this community is of rare occurrence. No clue to the perpetrator of the deed is yet discovered. We learn that Mr B. is a lecturer on Education. He is not understood to be dangerously hurt.—Nashville Union July 12th.

Select Tales

A WOMAN'S REVENGE.

It was a bright day in spring, and Broadway was alive with gaiety and bustle. A stranger who had been crossing that great thoroughfare at noon somewhere about the corner of Murray st. would have wondered what object it could be on the other side of the way that was disturbing the whole street; and, without exactly drawing a crowd, was attending every body's curiosity, and making gentlemen seek an excuse for stopping and looking back, and almost every the humble wayfarers who were privileged to be ungentle. A denizen of New York, who had only heard of the commotion, would at once have known it must be Miss Kaye, stepping from her carriage into the store of her jeweller. Her dog-colored carriage, obstructed by a crowd of carriages in front of Tenny's had drawn up some door's elf, and in order to reach the place she, whose pearly shoe not often touched the pavement, was once compelled to watch the world with noble walking.—The instant her blue and white liveries were seen opening the door and rattling the steps down, a simultaneous impression seemed to be produced upon the crowd that was loitering along the sidewalk; they drew back on all sides, a kind of avenue was formed, and she stepped forward with a magnificent and elastic tread, as if the earth yielded beneath her feet. Fortunately at that very spot, a bore held me by the button. (A-miable bore! I parted him when we parted; and for the first time in my life recognized why a beneficent Providence had created bores that held people by the button.) I gazed with delight almost awed into homage. A more exalted vision I had never beheld. Majesty softened into delicious beauty—Grandeur of attitude and feature, made lovely by a pervading spirit of sweetness and sympathy, produced in her a spirit that charmed ere you could admire, I dare say it will seem an odd thing to say, but there is nothing that has since reminded me so much of the impression she then produced upon the eye, as the bright fountain in the Park! There was in her the same easy, I may say reluctant magnificence; the splendid purity and soft sparkle; combined with such an entire unrestraint and abandonment of effort, that you feel as if in that form and motion the very essence of grace was made palpable before your eyes, and as if that variety of movement was the wantonness of a nature that strove to, but could not escape from its perpetual doom of elegance.—Startled back in spite of myself, into the age of poetry and goddesses, I thought straightway of the apparition of Venus to the Trojan by the wooded margin of the Tyrian city, and was beginning to fall into my old tunes and my latin; but I felt soon, in truth, I was below the mark, and that there stood before me something of a truer dignity and expression than all their goddesses together.—I mean a delicate, pure, high-souled woman. I confess while she was at a distance from me, and I had but a glimpse of her, I felt a certain flutter about my heart; but as she came near me, that faded away, and yielded to a distant and profound reverence: I cast down my eyes, and

lited them only as she vanished through the door of the shop.

Miss Kaye's parents were both dead, and she was sole heir to one of the largest fortunes in New York. Her first winter in company had been concluded by the announcement of her engagement to Mr Hanbury; a man of high fashion, possessing undoubtedly superior powers, great cultivation, and immense resources of manner. Men who knew Mr Hanbury, were surprised at her choice; and those who knew and valued her, regretted it not a little, for they deemed him a thorough worldling, whose principles and sentiments were such as a life of libertinage on the continent was likely to produce, and whose purposes were utterly selfish and base.

Such, indeed, and worse, he really was, but the truth is, the most intelligent woman is no judge of a man who pays her attention. Miss Kaye did not know the nature of that man, so perfect was his art and dissimulation. She admired and esteemed him, and in the prospect that was before her, was as happy as the kindest intentions on his part could make her. It was in reference to some arrangements relating to that expected event that she had gone into Tenny's with her beaming face full of pleasantness and life, when her attention was caught by the voice of Mr Hanbury, who, in company with another person, was standing with his back towards her leaning against the frame of the glass, in earnest conversation. Neither perceived Miss Kaye, although she approached within hearing distance of them.

"I marry her only for her money," said he, almost in a whisper, but loud enough for her to overhear his words distinctly, "and within a month afterwards shall go to Paris alone."

Miss Kaye left the store immediately, unperceived by them both.

It was fortunate for her that, in the interval of her absence, her carriage had drawn up immediately, in front of the shop door, or she must have fallen to the pavement. With a dizzied head she tottered forwards, and the servant who stood there caught her arms. She rallied, with a powerful effect, and saying to the driver in a faint voice "home!" got into the vehicle. One who had seen those pale, shrunken features—the fixed glaring eye, the withered lip, the distortion and deadly agony of the whole face, could not have recognised the glorious countenance from which a moment before power and hope had looked so majestically forth. The footman seeing that his mistress was ill, ordered the coachman to drive with the utmost rapidity, and in a few moments Miss Kaye was at her house. He opened the carriage door immediately, and seeing his mistress throw herself out before the steps were down, the honest fellow caught her in his arms and carried her all the way into the drawing room. He placed a chair and handed her a tumbler of water.

In a few minutes her physical weakness was conquered. Miss Kaye rose and walked into her chamber, summoning all the determination and energies of her nature, sat down to consider her course.

It was an intense and awful struggle which rung her spirit. The quiet, stern working of her lip, the flush of her cheek and the flashing of her eye told with what strength her purpose was developing.

"He shall feel his baseness!" she muttered to herself.

On the following morning she sat alone in the drawing room, when Mr. Hanbury came in. Orders had been given to admit no other person.

"Do you think," said she as soon as he entered and was seated, fixing upon him that dark eye which burned with indignation and intellectual contempt, "that there are men wholly destitute of soul?"

Her manner was much controlled and her voice calm; yet, in despite of effort, her tones vibrated with a searching sharpness of sarcasm which astonished Mr. Hanbury, and agitated him not a little. The consciousness of what his deserving was in respect to her, came upon him with a blind, formless fear, that shook his spirit to the foundation.

He answered, not knowing what she could be meaning.

"There are persons I think, who, if they ever had souls, have succeeded in wearing all traces of them out of themselves."

She rose and stood before the table, on the opposite side of which he sat.

"I have been outraged, sir! outraged through every feeling of my nature. I am a solitary and undefended woman; protected only by those sentiments of honor that dwell in the breast of every GENTLEMAN, those feelings of common humanity which are acknowledged by every MAN. I have found but one person utterly insensible to those impressions—yourself! I am aware of the motive which led you to solicit my hand."

It was a listener to your conversation in which your nature displayed itself with "out a mask." "I marry her only for her money. Within a month afterwards I shall go to Paris alone." The revenge I have to take is to make you feel the utter paltriness of your character, by showing you the immeasurable difference between your views and mine. You shall learn the true dignity of such sentiments as yours, by seeing the unalterable difference in which I hold those things which your soul esteems above all.—This day we part forever. On this table are deeds conveying to you one half of my estate, from which you may extract that money, for which you have been willing to be encumbered, though only for a month, it seems—with a wife. In accordance with the form that has been pointed out to me, I here deliver them to your exclusive use. Enjoy that money, and remember while doing so, that you owe that enjoyment to the intense contempt a woman feels for you, and let that remembrance cause you to be ever accompanied in your secret soul by your own utter contempt for yourself.

She retreated into the adjoining room; waving her hand, as she disappeared she said:

"You may retire, sir." Mr. Hanbury sat for a moment, overwhelmed with dismay and shame, he then dashed the papers upon the floor, and hastened out of the house.

From that blow he never recovered in spite of every effort he made to make head in his own mind against the sense of self-contempt, and the consciousness of the thorough baseness of his principles, nothing could stand against the remembered look and glance of that woman. He never could endure to see her again. The confidence with which he pursued his former career was struck down forever. He withdrew from society, and giving himself up to the lowest occupations of what is called pleasure, has sunk into utter worthlessness, despised alike by himself and others.

Late Foreign Intelligence.

Arrival of the Cambria.

15 Days later from London.

From the Boston Courier of Thursday.

QUICK PASSAGE OF THE CAMBRIA.

Our citizens were all taken by surprise yesterday afternoon, by the announcement that the Cambria, Capt. Judkins, was coming into port from Liverpool, whence she sailed on the 19th inst. She arrived at her dock at East Boston, at five o'clock, making the shortest western passage across the Atlantic ever accomplished. She left Liverpool at forty-five minutes after eleven o'clock, on the 19th, and arrived at Halifax at twenty minutes after four o'clock, a. m., on the 29th; left Halifax at twenty-five minutes after six o'clock, a. m., on the 29th, and being detained half a day by fog on the passage, arrived at this port as above stated, in eleven days and five and a half hours, from port to port.

This is twenty hours shorter than the quick passage of the *Hibernia*, which arrived September 1, 1844, and twenty-one and three-quarter hours shorter than the last passage of this same vessel, which was completed on the first of June last.

The *Cambria* brought ninety-five passengers to Halifax, and took in eight at that port, bringing one hundred and two to Boston.

Accounts from all parts of Europe are very gratifying. There appears to be no particular excitement any where, and trade appears to be active. The crops in Great Britain bid fair to be abundant, and the official reports of the revenue, although exhibiting a deficiency, prove under circumstances that the state of the country is very flourishing.

The demand for Cotton in England was large and prices were sustained.—Manufactured Iron was giving way in price. American stocks were looking up, and money continued abundant.

On the 15th, Mr. Everett, our Minister in London, officially announced the death of General Jackson, and requested his countrymen to observe the usual ceremonies of mourning.

The steamer *Caledonia* from this port, although detained by the fog at Halifax, arrived at Liverpool on the morning of the 14th. Deducting the detentions at Halifax, her passage is reported as having been accomplished in nine days and twenty hours. A number of New York packet ships arrived at Liverpool previous to the 14th, in remarkable short passages.

From Ireland there appears to be nothing interesting, except that a celebration by Orangemen on the 12th, at Armagh, provoked an attack by Catholics, which resulted fatally to several persons.

A similar riot from similar causes, between Orangemen and Catholics, took place at Liverpool on the 6th.

Thunder storms and tempests were frequent in Great Britain and on the Continent in the early part of July. A number of persons were killed by lightning and considerable damage was done by rain and hail.

The British Parliament was closing up its labors for the season, and we find little of interest in its proceedings.

The French Chamber of Deputies had adjourned, and the Chamber of Peers was expected to finish in a few days.

In France, according to a correspondent of the *European Times*—

The great topic of general interest during the last fortnight has been the question relative to the Jesuits. After

the famous appeal of Thiers to the government to put the laws in force against the followers of Loyola, M. Rossi was sent to Rome with the mission of persuading the Pope to recall the Jesuits from France, and thereby save the government the pain and scandal of being compelled to expel them by the strong hand. In this mission M. Rossi has completely succeeded—the religious communities of the Jesuits being ordered to be broken up, the greater part of their body to quit the kingdom, their novitiates to be sold, and their houses and property (they are very rich) to be disposed of. This is considered a great triumph over the religious party. The religious newspapers console themselves by asserting that it was not the Pope who consented that the Jesuits should be sent out of France, but the General of the Jesuits himself.

Mr. King, the American Minister, has left Paris for a pleasure tour, and Mr. Martin, Secretary of Legation, was officially announced as *Charge d'Affaires ad interim*.

Marshal Soult was lately thrown from his carriage, while proceeding to wait on the King, and severely bruised. On the same day, a number of other accidents occurred at Paris, and a Lieut. General died on the Champ de Mars, while reviewing troops with the Dukes de Nemours and d'Angoulême.

From Algiers there is an account of a horrid transaction. It was alluded to in the Chamber of Peers on the 11th, and Marshal Soult, for the government, did not give a very satisfactory explanation of it.

From Spain there is literally no news. The Queen was still at Barcelona.

The English papers contain further particulars of the troubles at New Zealand, but nothing later than has been received in this country.

SWITZERLAND.—Zurich, July 11.—The Diet is now sitting, having been opened on the 7th, by a speech recommending peace and union. To the present, no decision of importance has been taken, unless it be the refusal of the motion made by a deputy favorable to the Jesuitical party, to postpone the assembling of the militia, on the ground that the violence of the political feeling that exists will probably lead to disturbance. It will probably be a fortnight or three weeks before the Diet begins the discussion of the great political and religious questions, on which public interest is centered.

The Prince Metternich, Minister of Austria, has addressed a despatch to the Austrian Ambassador, speaking in terms of high gratification of the conduct of the party that supported the Jesuits in the late struggle. The canton from which Dr. Stieger made his escape demanded that he should be delivered up, but the other cantons have refused to give him their freedom, and there is a talk of getting up a subscription on his behalf. It is not likely that Stieger will remain in this country, but the retreat he will select is not known.—Most likely it will be the United States.

The London papers contain an account of the loss of a Dutch East Indiaman, on her passage from Amsterdam to Batavia, nineteen of the crew having starved to death and four being drowned. The survivors were taken off the rocks forming St. Paul's Island on the 29th May, and brought to London in the ship *Chance*, the captain of which tried ineffectually for ten days to save the remainder. These rocks are one hundred miles out of the usual track of vessels.

Mr. J. Adolphus, the celebrated barrister, died in London on the 17th.

Mr and Mrs Charles Kean, the actors, have taken passage in the steamer of the 4th of August for Boston.

The King of Prussia has refused to accept the resignation of Baron Bulow, the Minister of Foreign Affairs.

The King and Queen of the Belgians left England for home on the 18th.

Victor Hugo, the famous French poet, has been obliged to quit Paris in consequence of being caught in the act of adultery with another man's wife. He would have been arrested and imprisoned, but he pleaded his privilege as a Peer of France during the session of the Chamber. He is himself married and father of an interesting family.

AMSTERDAM, June 6.—There is nothing yet officially stated respecting the King's visit to England. It is rumored that his majesty will not go there this summer, but will have an interview with Queen Victoria in one of the Rhinish towns. The *Utrecht Courant*, however, states that the King of Holland is expected to leave shortly for England, on board the *Cyclops* steam-frigate, Capt. Coertsen. [Correspondent of the *Morning Herald*.]

QUEEN VICTORIA ON THE CONTINENT. The following is taken from the *Aix-la-Chapelle Gazette*—Berlin, June 18.—I am enabled to state, on the strength of an authority which I have always found correct, that in August, our King and Queen will be visited during three days at Sietzenfels, not only by Queen Victoria but also by his Majesty Louis Philippe.

Our Queen goes to Kissingen in the beginning of July, whence she will proceed, accompanied by the King, to the Rhine in the beginning of August. The Queen of England will be invited to visit Berlin and the palace of Sans Souci, at Potsdam. The Royal equipages will be shortly sent to Coblenz.

AMERICAN HEMP.—The American bark *Weskeag*, which arrived at Dundee in the early part of this month, brought a quantity of hemp, intended to be used for purposes to which only flax has been hitherto applied. It is said to make very excellent yarn, of small sizes; but it is feared that

it will not bleach so well as flax. The price is so low that it stands the spinner considerably less than flax, even after the expense of softening (£3 to £4 per ton) has been added. We understand that Mr. Sharp of Dundee holds a patent for softening the article prior to its being used by the spinner.

HORRIBLE TRAGEDY AT DAHARA, in Algiers.—It is thus recorded in the *Akbar*, of the 5th July, a French journal published at Algiers—

There has just occurred in the Dahara one of those terrible events which deeply afflict those who behold them, even when convinced of their frightful necessity, and when they are justified in declaring that every thing possible was done to prevent the catastrophe.

It is known that the corps commanded by Colonel Pelissier, St. Arnaud, and de l'Admiral, have been carrying on combined operations in the West. Col. Pelissier was busy in pursuing the Ouled Riabs, who have never yet submitted, as they live in immense caverns, where it would be madness for the troops to enter. On the 18th of June, finding themselves closely pursued, the Ouled Riabs flew to their usual place of refuge.

After having surrounded the caverns, some faggots were lighted and thrown by the French troops before the entrance. After this demonstration, which was made to convince the Arabs that the French had the power, if they pleased, of suffocating them in their hiding place, the Colonel threw in letters, offering to them life and liberty if they would surrender their arms and their herds.

At first they refused, but subsequently they replied that they would consent if the French troops would withdraw.—The condition was considered inadmissible, and more burning faggots were thrown. A great tumult now arose, and it was known afterward that it arose from a discussion whether there should be a surrender or not. The party opposed to surrender carried their point, and a few of the minority made their escape.

Colonel Pelissier, wishing to spare the lives of those who remained in the cavern, sent some Arabs to exhort them to surrender. They refused, and some women, who did not partake of the savage fanaticism of the majority, attempted to fly, but their husbands and relations fired upon them, to prevent their escape from the martyrdom which they had themselves resolved to suffer. Col. Pelissier then suspended the throwing of the burning faggots, and sent a French officer to hold a parly with the Ouled Riabs, but his messenger was received with the discharge of fire arms, and could not perform his mission.

This state of things continued till the night of the 11th, when losing all patience and no longer having a hope of otherwise subduing these fanatics, who formed a perpetual nucleus of revolt in the country, the fire was renewed and rendered intense. During this time the cries of the unhappy wretches were dreadful, and then nothing was heard but the cracking of the faggots. This silence spoke volumes. The troops entered and found 500 dead bodies. About 150, who still breathed, were brought into the fresh air, but a portion of them died afterwards.

From St. Catherine's, Brazil.—The brig *Bridgeton*, Capt. Gray, arrived at New York on the 18th inst. from St. Catherine's, with 500 barrels of sperm oil shipped home by the whaling bark *Elizabeth* of Mattapoisett. From a letter received in town we learn that Capt. Jenny of the *Elizabeth*, and Mr. —, supercargo of the *Bridgeton*, were detained at St. Catherine's as prisoners on a charge of evading the duty of \$1 per barrel upon oil shipped at that port. We understand that the oil was transferred from the *Elizabeth* to the *Bridgeton* in one of the bays adjacent to the harbor of St. Catherine's, and after the transfer had been made a boat appeared from the shore holding out inducements to the officers of the vessels to go on shore for supplies of refreshments. Capt. Jenny and the supercargo, with a boat's crew, accordingly went on shore, leaving the crew in charge of the boat. Immediately upon their landing they were arrested. The boat's crew effected their return to the vessels. It is supposed that the absence of a sufficient force alone prevented the seizure of both vessels and crews. The *Elizabeth* proceeded to St. Helena, in charge of the mate, to obtain advice of the American Consul at that port.—*New Bedford Mer.*

NEW MEXICO.—The Independence Exposition has a letter from Taos, New Mexico, of May 10th. The writer says: Since I last wrote to you, Martinez the late Governor, sent by Santa Anna to plunder New Mexico, has been removed from office by the new Central Administration, and has departed with one hundred thousand dollars in his pockets, the proceeds of a single year of extortion.—Jose Charros, citizen of New Mexico, a clever and plausible man, is his successor. Charros is himself a friend of Annexation to the United States, and such is now the general feeling amongst the wealthy and influential citizens, as has heretofore been the case with the general population.

The writer says that the cattle trade has been entirely destroyed by the Indians that a few "intelligent Americans" would soon rouse the inhabitants, and that the gold digging this season in the neighborhood of Santa Fe has yielded 123,000 of grains, some lumps of pure metal having equalled \$500 in value.

MOON KOPPOY is at St. Louis.

By the Mail.

FROM TEXAS.—Advice from Texas to the 17th of July received at New Orleans state that Annexation has been consummated. The Convention assembled on the 4th, and unanimously elected Gen. Rusk to preside over its deliberations. A committee of fifteen was then appointed, who subsequently reported by their chairman, Judge Liscomb, an ordinance on behalf of the people of Texas, assenting to the terms of Annexation proposed by the United States Government. The ordinance was adopted with but one dissenting voice—five members absent. It was subsequently engrossed and signed by all the members present. It is mentioned as not a little singular that the only dissenting voice was Richard Bache, the father-in-law of the Secretary of the Treasury and brother-in-law of the Vice President of the United States.

A despatch was received from the United States, and Major Donelson arrived on the evening of the 5th inst., having been detained at Washington by serious indisposition. These despatches relate to the occupation of our frontier by our troops. They are now on their march.—The foot by water to Corpus Christi, on the west bank of the Neches; the dragoons by land to San Antonio.

The Hon. K. L. Anderson, Vice President of Texas, died on the 10th, at Fanthrop, Montgomery county, of fever. The papers are in mourning for the sad event.

The New Orleans Picayune of the 18th says that two ships and the steamer *Alabama* have been chartered, and would sail on the 21st, with the U. States troops for Corpus Christi. Also that 280 horses and mules were on the way to Fort Jesup.

Asbel Smith was recalled from England. Speaking of him, the *Galveston News* of the 12th says—"We should like to know what he went for, what he has done, how much money he has pocketed, when he is going again, or what plan will next be fawned upon to disburse our public lands."

The Oregon.—The Charleston (S. C.) Mercury speaking of the contradiction of the rumor that Mr. Pakenham had proposed, and Mr. Buchanan had accepted, the 49th degree of latitude, as the basis of a compromise of the British and American claims to Oregon, says:

"We believe it is only by adopting such a compromise that the question can be peaceably settled, though it is certain that a treaty framed on that concession would meet violent opposition, and very possibly be rejected in the Senate. The latter is not however, certain. The demagogues say that English are afraid of war, which is doubtless true. But when they go further, and say that she cannot be forced into a war with us, they talk nonsense, as demagogues always will, when they have swung. If they would let Oregon alone, it would be ours quite as soon as we shall want it, let who will make a paper title to it."

Montreal, July 25.—Sir George Simpson, the Governor of the Hudson's Bay Company, who returned here on Wednesday from the interior, says that out of five thousand citizens of the United States who reached Oregon up to March last, one thousand had re-emigrated to California, having been disappointed with the country.

The promoters of the St. Lawrence and Atlantic Rail Road are in high spirits at the success Mr. Galt, the accredited agent of the Company, has met with in England, and they speak confidentially of an immediate commencement of the work.

We had a severe thunder storm on Monday and Tuesday last. At St. Marie fifteen houses were destroyed by the hurricane which accompanied it, and several persons were killed by the lightning. Hail stones fell here one inch and a quarter in circumference. Mr. Lotbender's farm house was set on fire by the lightning and burned down.—*N. Y. Com. & Eng.*

A Sad Case of Dishonesty.—The Boston Traveller says: "A melancholy instance of dishonesty, resulted from the habit of gambling, was discovered in this city on Saturday. The facts of the case as we have learned by careful inquiry, are substantially as follows: A young man, named Harlow Whiting, for a number of years confidential clerk in the wholesale bazaar warehouse of H. C. Fisher & Co., was discovered to be a defaulter to a considerable amount. On being questioned, he acknowledged that he had taken \$4000 of his employers money, which he stated had been gambled away by him, but he resolutely refused to give any information as to where or with whom it had been so spent. On the 24th inst., he left the store in the forenoon, and has not since been heard from. Whiting was a young married man, of respectable connexions, and for six or seven years past, has possessed the unlimited confidence of his employers. He is a native of Wrentham, in this State. The amount taken is supposed to be much larger than Whiting has acknowledged, but Fisher & Co. have not had time to ascertain the exact sum."

HAVANA SUGAR.—Letters from Havana of the 27th of June, state that the crop this year will probably recompense the beautiful island of Cuba for her past sufferings. The rains had been very abundant, having commenced six weeks earlier than usual.

We frequently hear of "irreparable" losses, but the loss which comes nearer the true meaning of this phrase than that of any mere inanimate thing we know of, is reported in the *Morning News* of Saturday. The plates of the magnificent and gigantic work of Audubon on Ornithology were in the fire, and are destroyed. There was no insurance, and the mere pecuniary loss (\$15,000) is very severe to the truly great and noble old man, to whose life of toil and self-martyrdom we are indebted for such splendid results. The only edition of his costly work was a very limited one, and the extant copies will grow precious as the gold and emeralds and rubies and sapphires and glittering gems whose light is scattered over the wings of those graceful creatures his idolizing pencil has immortalized.—*N. Y. Tribune.*

The Illinois and Michigan Canal.—Recommendation of the work thereon.—We learn that all arrangements have been completed to go on with the canal. The trustees are on the ground actively at the work of preparation for commencing. The estimates were to be furnished by the 10th inst. after which time the old contractors were to be set to work as fast as they could get ready. Some of them have already commenced in anticipation of the estimates.

Work hands are coming in fast, and there will be no scarcity of laborers.

Commodore Morris and Colonel Totten have been on the line. But we learn that they are not commissioned to make any surveys or estimates for a Ship Canal, or for the improvement of the Illinois River. They are only authorized to make a personal reconnaissance of the country.

Gov. Ford has respectfully requested them to call the attention of the President to the immediate survey of the Illinois River, to ascertain the character of the bars that obstruct its navigation, and collect information necessary to determine the best means of removing them, and securing the greatest depth of water which the river can furnish.

It appears further that there is no existing appropriation to pay the expense of such a survey; but these gentlemen have engaged to make the recommendation if the money can be advanced from other sources to pay the extra expenses which have been estimated by Capt. Swift at the sum of fifteen hundred dollars. We learn further that Mr. Leavitt, one of the Trustees, who is a very wealthy man, will advance the money; and that in all probability a survey and estimate will be made time enough to be laid before the next Congress.—*Illinois State Register, July 18th.*

BANGOR, July 25, 1845.

Richard Varney, of Bradley, in this county, has to day been examined before the Police Court of this city, on complaint for murder of Peleg B. Otis, of that town. From the evidence introduced it appears that the prisoner having a quarrel against the deceased, made an assault upon him in an open field on the 18th inst. with a large stone which he held in his hand, with which he knocked him down by a blow on the back of his head which broke his skull. After the deceased fell, prisoner further continued the assault by beating and stamping upon him. The deceased lived until the 23d inst. when he died of the wounds inflicted. The result of the examination was a full commitment on the charge of murder. The court at which he is to receive his trial sits on the last Tuesday of October.—*Correspondence Bos. Adv.*

Another Remarkable Natural Ice House.—In reference to our recent notice of the Ice Mountain in Virginia, the Boston Transcript brings to view and ice house or snow hole near Troy, N. Y. in the disputed rent district, situated near the summit of the Williamstown mountain. A writer in the *Christian Watchman* states that it is said of this natural curiosity, that the ice and snow has never melted to the certain knowledge of some of the inhabitants for more than half a century; but a few days ago Mr Van Rensselaer himself, the celebrated patron of this wide domain, together with Judge Waite, and two or three other gentlemen, paid it a visit, and the patron pleasantly remarked that he could return to Albany, and tell his friends that he had sunk in snow up to his knees in the month of July. Such a retreat would be indeed desirable when the quicksilver is at 100 degrees.

Opening of the Locks of the Alexandria Canal.—On Saturday last the citizens of Alexandria were gratified by the passage from the upper basin in the river, of seven or eight canal boats, mostly loaded with coal from Cumberland.—The boats subsequently passed down to the wharves, where their cargoes are being transhipped for Boston and other ports.—*Alexandria Gazette.*

The Secretary of the Navy has issued an order, authorizing the inspection of hemp—growing regions to be final and conclusive, instead of requiring them to be repeated at Boston.

Fortification on the Penobscot River.—Lieut. Stevens, engaged in erecting a fortification on the Penobscot, at Bucksport Narrows, received orders a short time since to erect two batteries at that place with all possible despatch. He immediately employed a large crew, and has kept them actively employed, so that in the course of two or three weeks he will be able to mount forty-five guns at that place.—*Bangor Whig.*

Incendiary Caught.—The *New Haven Courier* says that a female domestic named Eliza Neal, of Westville, has been arrested on a charge of having attempted to set fire to the dwelling of Lemuel Hall of Orange. She was committed for trial.

APPOINTMENTS BY THE PRESIDENT.

Jonathan Kearsley, receiver of public moneys for the district of lands subject to sale at Detroit, Michigan, vice Sylvester W. Higgins, resigned.

Samuel D. Hemp, of Pennsylvania, as Consul for the city and Kingdom of Tunis, in the place of John H. Payne, recalled.

Nicholas Brown, of New York as consul for the city of Rome, in the place of Geo. W. Green, recalled.

David P. Browster, Deputy Postmaster at Oswego, New York, in place of James Cochran, removed.

Joseph L. Bean of Missouri, Indian agent at Council Bluffs, in place of Daniel Miller, removed.

NAVY DEPARTMENT.—Orders—July 25.

Midshipman Wm. D. Austin, ordered to the receiving ship at Boston.

Midshipman Adrian Deslonde, leave extended two months.

Sailmaker J. G. Gallagher, detached from Boston yard, and ordered to steamer Mississippi.

Sailmaker Thos. J. Boyce, detached from the steamer Mississippi, and waiting orders.

SUICIDE.—A journeyman shoemaker named S. W. Leeds, aged about forty, a native of Mount Holly, N. J. who had been working for Mr. Rutledge, of Pittsburgh, for ten years past, left there on Friday morning of last week, and was found on Sunday last suspended from a tree opposite Brownsville, Pa., by his cravat; his wet clothes led to the presumption that he had first attempted suicide by drowning.

ATROCIOUS MURDER.—Orin Wood, of West Avon, Conn., murdered his wife on Tuesday last, with an axe and a knife. She was forty-seven years of age, and he is about the same. They had been married fifteen years, and had one boy fourteen years old. Woodford has hitherto been regarded as a respectable man and is a farmer of some property, but addicted to the use of ardent spirits, at which time he is a man of violent passion. He made no attempt to escape, and has been committed to jail.

Green, the Reformed Gambler, is lecturing at Cleveland, Ohio. In a speech at a Temperance meeting he gave the following answer to one who asked him where he received his education: "Born at Buckeye, raised a Hoosier, took a lesson in Cincinnati Jail, studied and practised gambling for 12 years on the Mississippi, and graduated in Texas.—*Lowell Courier.*

THE TENNER SER.—The New York Commercial says that on Thursday night in that city, two women, names unknown, whipt most unmercifully a young man named Robert Totten, with their fair fists, at the corner of Broadway and Franklin streets. The scuffle lasted some ten or twelve minutes. Mr. Trotten's eyes were blackened; and his fate appeared doubtful, until some of the neighbors interfered. The ladies had some conversation with the watchmen, and the gentleman disappeared.

Narrow Escape of about 100 persons.—During the severe storm of rain, lightning and thunder, which occurred on Monday night, the steamer *Louis McLane* one of the passenger packets running to Brownsville, had left the city on her way up, with over eighty passengers, besides the crew and others, and had got within a short distance of Williamsport, when a hurricane struck her broadside, in the middle of the river. Catching the boat with a tremendous force, it instantly keeled her over, but providentially at that place the water was shallow, and instead of capsizing wholly, the weight of the boat came down on the larboard guard, which struck the bottom and prevented her from careening over entirely. Let any one imagine the horror of the scene; the lightning was flashing on every side, the rain pouring down, and the boat laying on her side, part of her forward cabin nearly destroyed, one chimney overboard, the other on the roof, the crowd of passengers who had jumped from their berths hurried to one side of the cabin in a mass. It is frightful to think of it. The boat soon righted, and the officers were enabled to get her to Brownsville. The captain, E. Bennet, was in the Pilot House at the time, and acted with heroic promptness. One of the engineers, we are informed, fled from his post, but the other stood firm and by great exertion stopped the engine he was at, and thus managed to get to the other and stop also.

None of the passengers were very much injured, though many of them were somewhat bruised. The *McLane* is much injured, it is thought several weeks will be required to repair her.

Pittsburgh Gazette, 24th.

Transportation of Troops.—The ships *Queen Victoria* and *Suwich*, and the steamship *Alabama*, have been chartered to convey the U. S. troops now in this city to Corpus Christi. We learn that they are to sail on Monday.

Two hundred and thirty horses and mules passed through Minden, La., a few days ago, on their way to Fort Jesup for the use of the U. S. troops. Forty new wagons are said to be at some point on the Red River for the same destination.—*N. O. Pic. 12th.*

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NEWPORT MERCURY
Newport.
Monday August 2, 1845.

Summer Visitors.
Newport is thronged with visitors.—Dur-

400 passengers were landed here from the steamboats Massachusetts and New York yesterday.

YACHT CLUB.—Grand Trip
The Yacht Club, which has the New York Herald, will hold a meeting at the Station House, Elysian Fields, on Monday next, for the purpose of admitting new members, but more particularly to make arrangements for a cruise to Newport. The vessel belonging to the members of the club, will be anchored off this spot, on Monday afternoon, preparatory to their sailing for Newport, at 7 A. M., on the following day. At the latter point they expect to fall in with all, or the principal part of the crack clippers from Boston, Philadelphia, Baltimore and other places on our coast. There will doubtless ensue one of the finest sailing matches that has ever taken place in this country.

ELECTIONS IN AUGUST.—A number of important State Elections are to come off in the month of August, involving the choice of 47 Representatives, and (in Tennessee and Indiana) 2 Senators in Congress. They are as follows:

State	Aug. 7, Gov. Leg. & H. M. C.
Tennessee	7, Leg. & 9
North Carolina	4, Leg. & 10
Kentucky	4, Leg. & 10
Indiana	4, Leg. & 10
Alabama	4, Leg. & 7
Missouri	4, Leg.

This will complete the elections for the 26th Congress in all the States except Maryland (6) which votes in October, and Mississippi (4) in November. The States of Maine, New Hampshire, Massachusetts, have 1 member each to elect to supply vacancies in their delegates.

PROSECUTIONS.—A number of suits have been commenced by Ezekiah Willard, David Parmenter, and others of the Dorr party, against a number of individuals, for false imprisonment and other acts committed during the troubles in this State in 1842.

COUNT DE LAPORTE'S LECTURES.—The second Lecture of this gentleman will be given at the Atlantic House, this evening, as will be seen by the advertisement. The Count in his first lecture explained the causes and circumstances, and gave a sketch of the prominent characters engaged in the Revolution, which resulted in the elevation of Louis Philippe to the Throne of France.

THE SWISS BELL RINGERS CONCERT.—The lovers of music may safely promise themselves much gratification in an attendance at the Concert, on Monday evening next, at the Atlantic House. From the commendations that we have heard of their performances, we anticipate that they will be welcomed by a full house.

FIRE IN LITTLE COMPTON.—The dwelling House of Mr. Pardon Almy, of Little Compton, R. I., was destroyed by fire on Wednesday night of last week. The fire is supposed to have caught from the stove pipe. The furniture and wearing apparel were all burnt except one bureau and one bed which were saved.

NEWSPAPERS.—The Pittsburgh Morning Chronicle thus discourses:—
"What a singular medley a newspaper must be! In one column you shall find a labored and swelling eulogy of fallen greatness, apparently written with tears and inspired by sorrow; in the next appears the history of the crops; anon appears a meagre witticism; next comes a theatre puff, or a recommendation of the cream; and then follow the deaths and marriages. All tastes (and no tastes at all) must be consulted, sorrow and fun, business and nonsense, must all find a place in the 'folio of four pages,' or people will stop the paper."

New Eye Speculum.—Dr. Lewis F. Gallup, of Newport, R. I., has invented a new instrument for keeping the eyelids apart, altogether superior to anything before known to oculists. It is made of cross bars, like callipers, with peculiar semi-elliptical bows at one extremity, into which the eyelids fit admirably. At whatever point of distention they are set, by a thumb screw, they remain. With this speculum, the surgeon requires no assistance whatever in the operation for strabismus, as the instrument keeps the lids in any position designed, without much inconvenience to the patient. It is an ingenious, useful contrivance, which every operator on the eye, we apprehend would value exceedingly.
Bos. Med. & Surg. Journal.

Hon. JOHN POPE died at his residence in Washington Ky., on the 12th inst.—He had, for many years, been a prominent actor in the politics of the West, and been several times in Congress.

THE WONDERS OF ELECTRICITY.—The Hartford Courant says, that on the 26th ult., Mr. Fowler, of Mansfield, took a bed at Nottingham, and in the morning was found apparently dead from poison. The usual remedies were applied without effect, when electricity was resorted to. At the first application of the conducting wire to the chest of the patient, he rose up but gradually fell back again. At the second shock he rose up, crying out "Oh," and then fell back again; but on the third shock he started up, crying out "Oh God!" and sat upright with ease. In a short time afterwards, he asked for something to drink, and tea and coffee were administered to him; in three quarters of an hour he dressed himself, and appeared almost entirely recovered. He had purchased two ounces of iaudanum, and had taken the whole of it in two doses. Some disagreement with his wife is said to have been the inciting cause.

MELANCHOLY ACCIDENT.—On the 11th inst., Miss Rosalie Huelbig, her mother, two sisters, and Miss Dressel, were drowned in the Kaskaskia river, which they attempted to cross on their way to Prairie du Long. Miss H. left home that morning, with a bridal party; to be married to Mr. E. H. Kettler, who with his friends was waiting at his residence, some miles distant, to receive his bride. Being alarmed at the delay, he proceeded to the river, where he met the father of the young lady, who was on the river bank with the five corpses lying near him. The father was nearly frantic with grief. The corpses were taken to the house of the intended bridegroom, and the marriage festivities gave place to funeral rites.

PAINFUL ACCIDENT.—On Monday morning last a son of Dr. S. Bramhall, dentist, of Boston, while at play on a high bank in North street, in this town, fell from the railing to the bottom of the hill, striking on his head and fracturing his head and fracturing his skull in a shocking manner. He was taken up senseless and has remained in that condition, to the present time. Scarcely any hopes are entertained of his recovery. He is about seven years of age. He had left his father but a few minutes before the accident.—*Plymouth Rock.*

The steamer Narragansett run into the new schooner Henry R. Barnes, of New Haven, off Lloyd's Neck, on Thursday evening, of last week, at 9 o'clock, cutting the schooner down to the water's edge, and causing her to fill with water. The steamer took off the crew and towed the schooner into Huntington Bay, where also her captain, Wetmore, and crew were left. The accident was caused by the darkness of the night, and by the schooner showing no light.

Attempt to Escape from the Penitentiary.—A daring attempt was made last Sunday by the convicts to escape from the Penitentiary in this city. One of them, by breaking off the leg of a shoemaker's bench to his cell, succeeded in prying open the door. He then went into the corridor and let out a confederate in another cell, when one of the officers of the prison entered. The first named convict sprang at his throat, but the officer gave the alarm and assistance immediately arrived. It was afterwards discovered that the prisoners had contrived to keep up a correspondence, and that their plan was to release other convicts, and, if necessary, to murder the officers in order to effect their escape. A special meeting of the Inspectors was called to take the matter into consideration.
Prov. Journal.

Fleet, who established the first evening paper in Boston, indulged freely in his humorous propensity. For the sake of a good joke he did not spare the feelings of even his own family. His wife and daughters, although very worthy people, were not remarkable for the pleasantness of their countenances. It is related of him that he once invited a friend to dine with him on route, a fish of which the gentleman was remarkably fond. When dinner appeared, the guest remarked that the pouts were wanting. "Oh no," said Fleet "only look at my wife and daughters."

Long Island Rail Road.—The N. Y. Tribune says, that the difficulties arising from the burning of the woods on the line of the rail road in Suffolk county, have been adjusted by the Company to the full satisfaction of all parties.

On Monday of last week, two stage horses on the route from Northumberland to Pottsville, fell dead while in the stage, on account of the intensity of the heat.—A third one in the same team died a few days afterwards, and the fourth one was not expected to recover.

Health of New Orleans.—Owing to the late rise of the Mississippi, and the probably continuous high water, the New Orleans Bulletin expresses a trust that the city will be exempt from yellow fever.

Rev. Dr. Judson, whose missionary labors during a long course of years in the East Indies, are familiar to our readers, is now on his return to his native country, by the way of England.

Nine fugitive slaves passed through Oswego for Canada a few days ago.—They were said to be a portion of the seventy-seven who escaped from their pursuers in the recent movement in Maryland.

The Alabama arrived at this port last evening, from Pensacola, but brought no later intelligence whatever. Off the N. E. Pass, the Alabama came up with the brig Hayne, bound hither from Charleston, with United States troops on board, who will probably arrive here in the course of the day.

Gen. Taylor, who is to take command of the U. S. troops destined for the Rio Grande, arrived with his staff yesterday at the barracks below the city, in the steamer Yazoo, from Fort Jessup.—*N. O. Pic. 7th.*

Delia Webster, the young woman whose imprisonment in Kentucky last winter, for aiding in the escape of slaves will be remembered, has published a full statement of all the incidents which transpired during the pendency of her trial, by which it seems she has been put to an expense of \$2000.

Extraordinary and Mysterious.—Horrible disclosures are said to have been made at Indianapolis, Indiana. An extensive company of thieves have been discovered; among them parties who were considered above suspicion. They had a den under the State House, in which was found a female whom they had confined there, and who had become a mother in a loathsome dungeon.

HARVARD COLLEGE.—The Boston Post mentions a report, that the corporation of Harvard University have voted to invite Hon. EDWARD EVERETT to accept the office of President of that institution, and it is understood that he will yield to the request.

Military Funeral.—The remains of Colonel Josiah H. Vose, late commanding the 4th Regiment of U. S. infantry were interred yesterday in the grounds attached to and in the rear of the United States Barracks, in a vault created for the occasion, with all due military honors befitting the rank and station he had so lately occupied. The 3d Regiment, under the command of Colonel Hitchcock, acted as the escort; the 4th, wearing their side arms only, followed their late commander as mourners. General Taylor, Major Cooper, Captain Page and Surgeon Jarvis, of the regular army, and General Lewis, Colonel Labran, Colonel Forsall and Major Willard, of the Louisiana militia, acted as pall bearers.—The funeral service was performed by the Rev. Mr. Scott, after the conclusion of which, volleys of musketry were fired over the grave, and the sad ceremony was brought to a close.—*N. O. Bee July 15th.*

The Crops of Virginia.—The Richmond Times says: "The wheat crop of this State being not so much injured by dry weather as others has yielded well enough. But all other crops in Virginia will fail most disastrously. The oat and grass crops were wretched. The tobacco crop will probably be very small.—Much of the comfort and prosperity of the coming year depends on the corn crop. We are persuaded that the corn in lower Virginia—certainly on James River—is good; but we receive lamentable accounts from the upper country."

Winnebagoes.—Gov. Henry Dodge has recently been endeavoring to effect a treaty with the Winnebago Indians, for what is called the "Central Ground."—The Indians refused to treat, in explicit and positive terms, because the United States government insisted that they should remove south-west of Missouri.—The same offer has been made several times by the United States. They requested that the same proposition may not be submitted to them again.—*St. Louis Repub. July 17.*

A Rare Meeting.—A communication in the New Hampshire Patriot, states that there was recently a meeting at Henniker, N. H., of seven brothers of the name of Wood, whose united ages were a little more than 453 years—the average being 64 1/2 years. They had never all been together before, even in childhood; and now met for the last as well as the first time.

The aggregate receipts of cotton at all the ports of the United States up to the last date is 2,376,292 bales, or 354,608 more than at the same period last year, and 3,168 bales more than the entire receipts of the season of 1842-3. The stocks in the country are reduced to a very low figure—less than one half at some time last season. Contrasting the present season with 1843, the exports to Great Britain are short 42,576 bales (31 vessels now loading against 48 last year)—while to France there is an excess of about 9,000 bales, and to other foreign ports over 90,000 bales. The stock at the ports is nearly 26,000 bales less.

The owner of Peytona is out in the "Spirit of the Times" with a flaming challenge to *Fashion*, to run over the Union Course, Long Island, in October, for \$10,000 a side, and as much more as other people are willing to increase the purse to. Mr. Kirkman says he believes Peytona to be a better race horse than *Fashion*, and that the reason the former did not win at Camden was that she was "much amiss." He also challenges "The Colonel" to run a three mile race against his "Jeanneton," for \$5000, and "Stanley Eclipse" to contest a two-mile race with his "Liatunah;" in fine, he offers to run his stable against the whole North. Out of all this, if there is no sport at the fall races, it certainly will not be Mr. Kirkman's fault.

Brighton Market, Monday, July 27.
Reported for the Boston Daily Advertiser.

At Market, 650 Beef Cattle, 2700 Sheep and 200 Swine. 40 Beef Cattle unsold.

PRICES.—Beef Cattle.—A small advance was effected and we quote extra \$5 75; first quality 5 25 a \$5 50 second quality 5 a 25; third 4 25 a 4 75.

Sheep.—Lambs from 1 25 to \$2; old sheep from \$1 50 to 2 50.

Swine.—old Hogs at 4 1/2c for sows, and 5 for barrows; Shoats, 4 1/2c & 5 1/2c. At retail from 5 to 6 1/2c

A PURE SKIN.—A clear, unblemished complexion free from all blotches and pimples, is one of the elements of beauty; and although the form of the features cannot be controlled, this desideratum can be attained by the use of a mild and pleasant remedy. Sassa's Sarsaparilla expels from the circulation the acid matter which forms the sustenance of these superficial impurities, and can be with confidence recommended to those who are so unfortunate as to be thus disfigured.

Prepared and sold, wholesale and retail, by A. B. & D. SANDS, Wholesale Druggists, 29 Fulton street, New York. Sold also at 273 Broadway, 77 East Broadway, and by Druggists generally throughout the United States. Price \$1 per bottle. Six bottles for \$5. Sold in Newport, by Dr. R. K. Hazard and R. J. Taylor.

NOTICES.
The Congregation and others are informed that Zion Church will be re-opened for Divine Service to-morrow (August 3d) at the usual hours.

BT The steamer NEPTUNE will leave Long Wharf this evening at 8 o'clock. Fare 75 cts. Cabin; 50 Dock. [Aug. 2.]

MARRIED.
In New York city, 50th inst, Montague Warden, Esq. of Boston, to Miss Elizabeth Louisa Lincoln, of this town.

In South Scituate, R. I. 24th inst, by Rev. Mr. Grosvenor, Mr. Frederick A. Vallette, of Cincinnati, to Miss Mary Ann Field, of S. S.

DIED.
In this town on the 27th inst, Miss Harriet Henrietta Cutler, of Boston.

In Providence on the 25th, Mr. Joseph Balch, in the 79th year of his age.

At Providence on the 30th ult, Thomas B. Fenner, Esq. Cashier of the Blackstone Canal Bank, aged 41 years.

At Mansfield, Conn. on the 8th inst after a long and painful illness, John Fitch, Esq. aged nearly 62 years.

At Clifton, Staten Island, on the 28th, Capt. Jacob Barney Earl, formerly of this town, aged 65 years,—for many years keeper of the Telegraph and Light House on Staten Island.

Marine List.
Port of Newport.
ARRIVED.
SATURDAY, July 26.
Sch'r Phoebe Baxter, Crowell, fm Warren for Philadelphia; Wm. Wilson, Baker, fm Providence for Philadelphia; Oscar, Freeborn, fm Fall River for Norfolk; Mary, Crane, fm Camden for Fall River; Panama, Crabtree, fm Fall River for Sullivan.

Sloops Mary A. Sellick, Babson, fm Norwalk; Brunette, Smith, fm Providence for Norwalk.

SUNDAY, July 27.
Brig Octavia, Smith, fm Philadelphia for Fall River; Hope, Bunlar, fm Providence for "Stettin".

Sch'r Denmark, Crowell, fm Philadelphia for Boston; Florida, Read, fm Philadelphia for New Bedford; Urbanna, Wall, fm Bath for Fall River; Adelaide, Staples, fm Providence.

Sloop Roscius, Phillips, fm Taunton for New York; Annawan, Burdick, fm Providence.

MONDAY, July 28.
Brig Josephus, Ray, fm Philadelphia for Somerset.

Sch'r Joseph Turner, Gibbs, fm Providence for Baltimore; Union, Bangs, fm do for do; Alabama, Nickerson, fm Philadelphia; Mary & Eliza, sharp, fm Lyme for Providence.

Sloops Excel, Bennett, fm Fall River for New York; Faine, Comstock, fm Lyme.

TUESDAY, July 29.
Bark Calista, Hopkins, fm Fall River for St. Mary's.

Sch'r Superior, Strout, fm Providence for Herington.

Sloops Mary Nichols, Spencer, fm East Greenwich for do; Jas. Bonnett, Smith, fm Albany for Providence; Emily, Baker, fm do for North Kingston.

Propeller Eudora, Brown, fm Fall River for New York.

Sch'r Cottage, Smith, fm Frankfort for do; Cotton Plant, Boles, fm Norfolk; Mary Jane, Handy, fm Boston for Albany.

Sloop Undanted, Kelly, fm Gloucester for Albany.

WEDNESDAY, July 30.
Brigs Confidence, Bailey, and Poland, Gardner, fm Philadelphia; Sch'r Export, Swasey, and St. Denis, Baker, fm do.

Sch'r Yantic, Staples, fm Philadelphia for Pawtucket; Premium, Nickerson, fm New Bedford for Albany; Halcyon, Patterson, fm Bangor for Norwich; May Flower, Bold, fm Block Island.

Sloops Example, Gillwell, fm Portsmouth, R. I., for Albany; Tecumseh, Ash, fm New York for Providence; Vigilant, Heath, fm do for do.

Sch'r Columbia, Crowell, fm Fall River for New York; Edward D. Peters, Holmes, fm Machias for do; Amanda, Nickerson, fm Providence for Albany.

THURSDAY, July 31.
Brig Octavia, fm Fall River.

Sch'r Volta, Clark, fm Fall River for Greenport; Francis Hallett, Small, fm Providence for Philadelphia; Maria, Baker, fm Bath; Lodema & Eliza, Thomas, fm Providence for Philadelphia; Lycurgus, Willet, fm do for do; Henry, Cook, fm Somerset for do; Benjamin, Field, Virginia, fm Providence for do; Samuel R. Painter, Thoro, fm East Greenwich for do; J. B. Rich, Breese, fm Providence for do.

Sloops Deliver, Southwick, fm Saybrook; Henry Gibbs, Gibbs, fm Fall River for Hartford; Providence, Luther, fm Warren for New York; Empire, Dayton, fm Providence for do; Yankee, Hatch, fm New York for Fall River.

FRIDAY, August 1.
Brig Electro, Packard, fm Providence for Pictou, and sailed.

Brig Mary & Susan, Fullerton, fm Bangor, with lumber for Peckham & Bull.

Sch'r Halcyon, (of Belfast), Patterson, fm

Bangor for Norwich, with lumber, ran ashore in the gale on the night of the 31st, about 11 o'clock at Collins' Beach, (or Castle Hill) and was got off about 6 o'clock the next day after lightening her by throwing off deck load, and proceeded into this harbor, where she now lies, fluk of water, having bilged when on the rocks, the deck load is all saved. She has sustained no damage in her upper works except loss of rudder.

Marine Memoranda.
Ship Louis Philippe, Castoff, was at Havre 1st for New York 8th.

Ship St. Lawrence, Chase, was adv. at Liverpool 14th for New York 11th.

Barque Ariel, Weedon, sid from Boston 25th for Savannah.

Brig Henry, Burt, sid from New Bedford 24th for Newbern, N. C.

Sch'r Erin, Jones, hence, arr at Norfolk 23d.

Sch'r Isabella, Clarke, arr at Baltimore 21st from Boston.

Sch'r Direct, Briggs, el'd at Baltimore 21st for New York.

Brig Annawan, arr at Charlestown, 24th from this port.

At Havre 16th, ship Versailles, for Boston.

WHALERS.
Touched at Payta, March 4th, ship WM. LEE, Wimpenny, of this port, 6 mos out 400 bls sp. oil, bound to N. W. Coast, direct.

Touched at Payta May 1st, bark DAMON. Potter, of this port, 50 bls sp on board, sent home 150 do.

Arr at New Bedford 29th, ship Adeline Gibbs, Baylies, Pacific Ocean, Talcottusna April 20th 2100 bls sp oil, for Fair Haven.

Arr at New Bedford, 31st ult, Ship Statira, Adams, Pacific Ocean, last from Akarcia Bay, New Zealand, 2750 bls wh, 250 do sp oil, and 26,000 lbs. bone.

Weekly Almanac.
1845.
AUGUST.

	Sun rises	Sun sets	Moon rises	Moon sets	High Water
2 Saturday	4 53	7 7	sets	6 53	
3 Sunday	4 54	7 6	7 7	7 39	
4 Monday	4 55	7 5	7 37	8 23	
5 Tuesday	4 56	7 4	8 4	9 7	
6 Wednesday	4 57	7 3	8 31	9 51	
7 Thursday	4 58	7 2	9 1	10 36	
8 Friday	4 59	7 1	9 32	11 22	

New Moon 24th 55m morning.

COUNT DE LAPORTE,
RESPECTFULLY ANNOUNCES to the Ladies and Gentlemen of Newport, that he has consented to deliver two lectures on
LOUIS PHILIPPE,
AND
The Events in the Revolution of July, 1830, at the
ATLANTIC HOUSE,
The second Lecture will take place
THIS EVENING,
Tickets 50 Cents, to be had at the principal Hotels, and at Wm. A. Barber's Book store. [August 2.]

EXTRAORDINARY MUSICAL NOVELTY.
THE
"ORIGINAL"
AND CELEBRATED
CAMPANOLOGICAL BAND,
KNOWN AS THE SWISS
BELL RINGERS,
Whose surprising performances at Niblo's Garden; the St. Charles, in New Orleans; the Park Theatre, in New York; the Tacon Theatre, in Havana; and in all the Cities in the Union, have been hailed with
WONDER AND DELIGHT,
Respectfully inform the Ladies and Gentlemen of Newport, that they will give a
GRAND CONCERT
AT THE
ATLANTIC HOUSE,
On Monday Evening Next, Aug. 4,
ASSISTED BY
Mons'r Messemmer.
Full particulars in the Programmes.
Tickets 50 Cents. Children under 12 years, half price.
Doors open at half past 7. Commences at quarter past 8.
Newport, Aug. 2.

Strayed but not Stolen.
SINCE AUGUST 1844, from one to two hundred baskets & strawberry boxes.—Now all I ask is to return them for two months that I may have the privilege of lending them to some others, and there shall be no questions asked, and you shall have the use of them again upon the same terms at the expiration of two months as you have had them the last year.

Hereof fail not, but of your doings make true report. Given under my hand and seal at Newport, the 29th day of July, 1845, and of American Independence the 69th.
T. STACY, JR.

FARM FOR SALE.
About two miles from the Court House in Newport, of 116 1/2 acres, with a large two story house, a large barn and other convenient out buildings; an excellent well of water; two young orchards; a valuable privilege for sea manure; pleasantly situated in full view of Providence River, and will be sold in nearly equal parts, the one containing all the buildings, or altogether, as may suit purchasers.—Terms liberal and payment made easy.

For further information apply to
* **DAVID BUFFUM,**
Middletown, 7th mo. 31, 1845.

Bird Seed.—a fresh lot, received and for sale by
T. STACY, JR.
Aug. 2.

R. I. Bridge Company.
AT the annual meeting of the Stockholders of the Rhode Island Bridge Company, held July 25th, 1845, the following gentlemen were elected directors for the year ensuing, viz:—
Stephen T. Northam, Nathaniel S. Ruggles, Robert B. Cranston, William Littlefield, William A. Clarke, Peleg Clarke, and Isaac Burdick.

And at a subsequent meeting of the directors, Nathaniel S. Ruggles was re-elected President.
W. A. CLARKE, Clerk & Treasurer.
Newport, August 2.

Fruit! Fruit!!
JUST received and for sale at the Confectionary store of
T. STACY, JR.
Oranges, Lemons, Figs, Cocoa Nuts; bunch raisins of superior quality, Prunes in fancy style; Almonds, Madeira Nuts, Filberts, Brazil nuts, Pecan and Peanuts.

And receiving daily by steamboats through the season.
Peaches and Pears; Apples and Mellons and every variety of fruits, all of which is sold at the very lowest rate and delivered to families in any part of the town free of extra charge.
Aug. 2.

TOYS and fancy Goods, in great variety, for sale cheap, by
T. STACY, JR.
Aug. 2.

Just what has been Wanting.
Orange Flower Water, rose water, peach do., and double extracts of Vanilla, lemon, peach, rose, bitter almond, sweet orange, nectarine, &c., highly esteemed for flavoring custards, ice cream, charlotte russe, Blanch-mange, bavaroises, etc. Just received and for sale at the Confectionary of
August 2] T. STACY, JR.

CONGRESS WATER.
Fresh from the Spring, just received and for sale by
T. STACY, JR.
Aug. 2.

LADIES FRENCH FANCY STORE.
J. GROSS GARELTY,
FROM NEW YORK,
Respectfully informs the Ladies that he has opened for the Season a
LADIES FANCY STORE,
No. 159, Thames Street,
Opposite Mr. D. B. Davis's Shoe Store,
Where he will keep on hand, a complete assortment of
Berlin Zephyr Worsted,
Berlin Embroidery Patterns,
Berlin Embroideries,
(Finished and commenced.)
Floss Silk, Purse Twist, shaded & plain, on spools & sticks, Steel & Gold Beads, Silver, Gold and Silk Braid, Purse Ornaments, Gold, Silver and Silk Tassels, Embroidery and Knitting Needles, Hair Pins,
Coiffures de Bals,
and a variety of French Fancy Goods, Canvases for Embroidery, Silk Fringes, &c.

LESSONS in all kinds of Needle Work, such as Embroidering with Gold, Silk, Worsted, Chenille, Crape, Wax, Venice Beads, Bugles and Spangles;—Cut and Watting Raised Work; and all Branches of Shell Work.

Also—Flowers and Landscapes made of Human Hair, suitable for preserving Family Remembrances.

Glass, Velvet, and Oriental Painting, which can be learned to perfection in 6 Lessons.

Flowers of Crape, Worsted, Wax and Spice;—and French Flower Cutting.

Lessons in the above will be given by a competent European Lady, on very reasonable terms.

Specimens can be examined at the Store, No. 159, Thames street.

N. B. All the above mentioned Fancy Works, will be made to order, at the shortest notice.
Newport, July 26, 1845.

JUST RECEIVED at the Cheap Cash Shoe Store, NO. 95 THAMES STREET.
Corner of Market Square, recently occupied by Mr. John Corban.

A GREAT VARIETY of Men's boots and shoes, of every description; Also, Ladies nice kid and morocco buskins, low, lace, and slippers.

Like-wise, Children's shoes of every description, for sale cheap for Cash, by
GEORGE H. NORMAN, & CO.
Newport, July 10.

Executrix's Notice.
THE subscriber hereby gives notice that she has been duly appointed Executrix to the last will and testament of
CHARLES COLLINS,
late of Middletown, dec., and having accepted said trust and qualified herself agreeably to law, she has appointed AUGUSTUS BUSH of Newport, her lawful Attorney to make settlement of said estate, and she requests all persons having any demands to present them for settlement; and all persons indebted to make payment to him.
LYDIA COLLINS, Executrix.
Middletown, July 26, 1845.

Agricultural.



Protection of Cows against flies.—As the fly season has arrived, I am reminded of a discovery I have made (which should have been made public before,) to prevent the annoyance of cows by flies while milking. It is simply blanketing. A blanket should be provided for each milker, of such ample dimensions that it will cover the whole animal, falling down as low as the knees, with the right corner scooped out for the milker. Make a loop for the horns. It may be made of any material, but coarse cottons being the cheapest and lightest recommend themselves. Animals unused to blanketing will of course at first demur, but by gentleness, or light coercion, they soon become as gentle to the spreading of the blanket, as they are to the approach of the milker. Try it—it works like a charm.—*Cultivator.*

Value of Liquid Manures.

It will readily be perceived that the principal effort of the farmer, in the preservation of his manures, must be directed to their liquid proportions—these proportions not only being by far the most exposed to loss, but possessing a superiority in value which renders their loss irreparable. This last sentiment, involving as it does a subject of vital importance in agriculture, we shall take the liberty of illustrating by the introduction of several authorities.

"The greater value should be attached to the liquid excrements of man and animals, when a manure is desired which shall supply nitrogen to the soil. The greatest part of a superabundant crop—or, in other words, the increase of growth which is in our power—can be obtained exclusively by their means. When it is considered that with every pound of ammonia that escapes, a loss of sixty pounds of corn is sustained; and that with every pound of urine a pound of wheat might be produced, the indifference with which these liquid excrements are regarded is quite incomprehensible. In most places, only the solid excrements, impregnated with the liquid, are used; and the dung-hills containing these are protected neither from evaporation nor from rain. The solid excrements contain the insoluble, the liquids all the soluble phosphates; and the latter contain likewise all the potash which existed as organic salt in the plants consumed by the animal."

Liebig's Organic Chemistry, p. 190.

"Liquid manure consists in a great degree, of the urine of various animals, which during its decomposition, exhales a larger quantity of ammonia than any other species of excrement. All kinds of corn contain nitrogen; and, consequently, any manure which yields a ready supply of ammonia must cause a fuller development of those parts of the plants which are of the greatest use to man—Even the kind of animal manure usually employed in this country owes its efficiency (so far as it is dependant on the ammonia present) to the urine, rather than to the solid excrement, of which it is made, and hence becomes materially deteriorated in this respect, when the more liquid portions are allowed to drain off from it."

Danby's Lectures on Agriculture.

R. B. KINSLEY'S Daily Forwarding Express

FOR large and small Packages (excluding Mail matter) between Newport, Boston, Fall River, Taunton and New Bedford. Freight in large quantities taken at reduced rates.

Office in Newport at 137 Thames st., opposite B. Marsh's Shoe Store.
T. COGGESHALL, Agent.
Office in Boston at Doolittle's City Tavern, Brattle street.
Newport, June 21, 1845.

Commissioners & Administrators Notice.

THE Subscribers having been appointed by the Court of Probate for the town of Newport, Commissioners to receive and examine the claims against the estate of ROBINSON POTTER, late of Newport, Merchant deceased, and six months from this date, being allowed by said Court for the creditors to present and prove their respective claims, we will attend at the Counting room of Adam S. Coe, on the last Saturdays of October, November and December, at 2 p. m., for purpose of deciding on such claims.

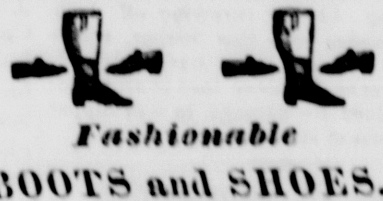
CHARLES GYLES, } Comm'rs.
ADAM S. COE, }
PETER CLARKE, }

All persons indebted to said estate are requested to make immediate payment to THEO'S C. DUNN, } Adm'rs.
JOHN M. KEITH, }

Newport July 7, 1845.

BATHING.

Nothing in the world is more conducive to health, and consequently comfort, than frequent bathing. It gives strength to the debilitated, and adds vigor even to the vigorous. Warm, cold, and shower baths can be enjoyed at a trifling expense at E. TREVETT'S, on the Long Wharf Newport June 21.



Fashionable BOOTS AND SHOES.

JOHN N. POTTER,
NO. 112 1-2 THAMES ST
HAS just received a complete assortment of Boots & Shoes, comprising French calf boots, Gentlemen's Button Gaiters, lasting and goat skin do, Ladies gaiter boots, Ladies French slippers, Morocco and Kid shoes, Misses, Masters and Children's boots and shoes of every description, all of which will be sold at the lowest possible prices.

French blacking, Potter's unrivalled Leather Preserver, &c. &c., for sale as above.

[May 31.]

Copartnership Notice.

THE UNDERSIGNED have this day formed a Co-partnership under the firm of George H. Norman & Co. and taken the Store recently occupied by John Corban, No. 95 Thames St., corner of Market square, where they have on hand a prime assortment of Boots and Shoes, which they offer for sale at exceeding low prices for Cash.

GEORGE H. NORMAN.
CHARLES RUSSELL JR.
Newport, June 27, 1845.

HATS & CAPS.

THE subscribers have just received a large and elegant assortment of Hats and Caps, comprising a great variety and desirable patterns. Will receive this day, two cases of 'Paris' Hats, a splendid article. Boys' Cloth Caps as low as 30 cts.

The public are respectfully invited to call and examine our stock previously to purchasing, as it will be sold at the lowest possible prices.

Gentlemen of Newport, we have hats to sell. The beauties of which, no tongue can tell. If you wish for a Hat from the finest of Beavers. Please call at the store of Parker & Weaver N. B. Hats and Caps made at the shortest notice.

PARKER & WEAVER.
Newport, April 19, 1845.

Long Room Replenished.

ORRIS BAZZANS IN Clothing,

"A dollar saved is a dollar earned."

LOOK to your interest by calling at J. M. HAMMETT'S Cloth and Clothing Establishment, No. 133 1-2 Thames st., where you will find Clothing to suit the fancy and likewise the pocket. The subscriber is now ready for the Spring and Summer trade, having received from Boston a large and beautiful assortment of Broadcloths, Cassimeres, Vests, Trunks, &c. &c., which he will sell at prices lower than goods of the same quality can be bought for in this State.

All classes of persons, whether merchants, lawyers, laborers, clerks, seamen, or gentlemen of leisure, may safely calculate on finding at this establishment all articles appertaining to a gentleman's wardrobe, so that they can be furnished at the shortest notice and in the most economical manner, without the necessity of looking elsewhere.

Please to recollect that this is the Cheap Store. The people of Newport and vicinity have already saved by purchasing at this establishment, and they too well understand their own interest to need prompting now.

Don't forget, 25 per cent saved in buying your clothing is an important item.

J. M. HAMMETT.
Newport April 19,

July 12, 1845.

SUMMER FLANNELS. SUMMER DRESS GOODS.

And all the new desirable Fancy articles are being continually received, making our assortment of

Seasonable Dry Goods,

VERY COMPLETE.

Also,
Bathing Dresses, Bathing Dress Goods, &c
At No. 172 Thames Street.
WM. C. COZZENS, & CO.

During July and August our store will be closed at Sunset, except on Saturday evenings.

NATHAN M. CHAFFEE,

Brass and Copper Smith,
Thames st.—three doors North of the Custom House.

WOULD inform his friends and the public that he is prepared to execute all orders in his line of business with care and promptness, and on as favorable terms as they can be executed anywhere.

Copper & Iron Lifting & Force PUMPS.

and the best quality of TINNED LEAD PIPE, of various sizes, constantly on hand, and fitted to order. Also pipes to convey water to any part of a house; and the workmanship warranted.

Brass and Composition CASTINGS.

of all kinds, furnished at short notice. Composition SPIKES and NAILS constantly on hand. All kinds of Lead work done.

REPAIRING promptly executed.
A share of patronage is respectfully solicited.
Newport, May 10.—6m.

NEWPORT DYE-HOUSE.

John H. Clegg
SILK, COTTON, and WOLLEN DYER.

WOULD respectfully inform his friends and the public, that he has taken the Dye House, formerly occupied by J. Viner, situated in Tanner street, where he is prepared to dye and finish at 10 days notice in the best manner, the following articles, viz:

Broadcloths, Silks,
Cassimeres, Crapes,
Merinos, Satins,
Circassians, Pongees,
Bombazines, Hosiery,
Gloves, &c. &c.

Also, permanent colors on carpet yarns, merino, circassian, bombazine, and crape dresses; gentlemen's woolen garments, such as dress, frock and great coats, suits, vests, and pantaloons—died and pressed without ripping.

He will also clean gentlemen's woolen garments of every description, in a neat style—merino and Cashmere shawls cleaned and whitened, without injury to the border—carpets and woolen table cloths cleaned also.

All articles left at the Dye House in Tanner Street, or the following Agents will receive prompt attention.—Mrs. Ann M. Eddy, next north of the Perry Factory. A. M. Thomas, Wickford, John Hedley, Portsmouth.
February 19, 1842.

NEW TIN and SHEET IRON WARE Establishment.

THE subscribers have taken the store No. 127 Thames Street, nearly opposite the store of Messrs Finch & Engle, and have entered into co-partnership under the name of

Coggeshall & Bliss,

for the purpose of manufacturing every description of Tin and Sheet Iron Ware.

They will sell on REASONABLE TERMS to suit the times.

They have on hand a lot of plain Japan and Britannia Ware. They also intend keeping on hand an assortment of Sheet and Cast Iron STOVES of the most approved patterns.

N. B. All kinds of Job Work in the above line done to order.

A share of public patronage is solicited with the assurance that no pains will be spared to give satisfaction to all who may favour them with orders in their line of business.

FREEBORN COGGESHALL, WILLIAM H. BLISS.

Newport, Aug. 10, 1844.—1f.

CLERKS OFFICE.

Court of Probate, Newport, July 14th 1845.
AN instrument in writing dated 17th of January, 1839, and a Codicil thereto annexed, dated 26th of November 1844, purporting to be the last will and testament and Codicil of

MICHELE CORNE, formerly of Naples, in the Kingdom of Naples, but late of said Newport, dec. was presented by the Executor therein named for Probate and letters testamentary thereon, with request that notice be given by advertisement for 3 successive weeks in the Newport Mercury, that the same will be taken into consideration for Probate and Letters testamentary thereon at a Court of Probate to be holden at the Town Hall in Newport, on the first Monday in August next, at 9 o'clock, a. m., that all persons interested may appear at said time and place and be heard.

B. B. HOWLAND, Probate Clerk.

Guardian's Notice.

THE subscriber having been appointed by the Court of Probate of Middletown, Guardian to the estates of his children: James H. Peckham, Charles Peckham, and Eliza Peckham, minors, under the age of 14 years, and having qualified himself by giving bonds as the law directs, he hereby gives notice to all persons having any demands against his said wards, to exhibit the same to him within six months from the date hereof.

AUGUSTUS PECKHAM.
Middletown, April 18, 1845.—6w.

ALL persons indebted to the estate of Gyles Barney, late of Newport, dec. are requested to make immediate payment to PETER P. REMINGTON, Adm'r.
Newport, April 19, 1845.

COAL.

THE best quality of RED ASH and LEHIGH COAL, constantly on hand and for sale, at as low a rate, for cash, as can be bought in Newport, by the subscriber, on the Perry Factory wharf.

NICHOLAS GIFFORD.
Newport, April 12, 1845.—6m.

A first rate Farm for Sale.

That well known and beautiful situated Farm, containing about fifty acres of highly cultivated land, and known by the name of the George Armstrong Farm, is now offered for sale.

This farm is on the margin of the sea, with valuable privileges of building stone, sand, gravel and sea manure. It lies at the bottom of Narragansett street, and is constantly increasing in value. For further particulars, apply to

JOSIAH C. SHAW.
Newport, May 24, 1845.—1f.

Stacy's Cottage at the Beach.

Is now open for the accommodation of visitors; where will be found REFRESHMENTS in great variety, and at as reasonable prices as in town.
June 14.

Assessor's Notice.

THE subscribers give notice that they have been chosen Assessors, to assess a Tax of twelve thousand dollars, ordered to be assessed at the Annual Town meeting, holden on the 3d day of June instant, on the inhabitants of the town of Newport, and the taxable property therein, to be collected and paid into the Town Treasury on or before the 1st day of October next;—We therefore call upon all persons interested to give in to either of us, a list of their rateable estates, under oath on or before Monday the 8th day of July next.

And we likewise give notice that we have appointed and duly authorized Jeremiah Goodspeed to make enrolment of those liable to do military duty in the town of Newport agreeable to the 4th, 5th, and 6th sections of the militia law passed in June session of the General Assembly, A. D. 1843, and all persons are hereby required to govern themselves accordingly.

THOMAS BUSH, } Assessors.
CHARLES GYLES, }
ISAIAH CROOKER, }
Newport, June 21, 1845.

DALLEY'S Original and Only Genuine Magical Pain Extractor.

THE WONDER OF THE AGE!

THIS medicine has more power and influence over disease than any other yet known. It entirely conquers Pain, Fire, Scar, Inflammation, & Mortification. Fame, with her million tongues, says, "Next to the Bible, let it be prized!"—No human physician or parent should be without it a moment. The pains of the Worst Burns are stopped instantly by it, and healed without scar. It is also a sovereign remedy for the following diseases:—

Piles both blind & bleeding, Brachitis, Felons, Sore Eyes, Fever Sore, Broken Breasts, Sore Nipples, Sore Throat, Scald Head, Salt Rheum, Wounds, The Dolorous, Barber's Itch, Bruises, Ague in Face, Spinal Weakness, Chapped Hands, Swellings, Rheumatism, Induration, Constipation & Inflammation of the Bowels.

And, in fact, any thing that is sore & painful.

The universal celebrity of this medicine has excited the dupidity of certain worthless persons, who endeavor to palm off a worthless or imitation article.—Therefore OBSERVE that every box of the genuine has the written signature of H. Dalley, the proprietor, on the wrapper. All others are spurious, and should be avoided. Only Depot for the United States, No. 128 Fulton street, New York, where all orders must be addressed.

For sale in Newport, by R. J. Taylor, No. 148 Thames st., and Dr. R. R. Hazard, Washington Square.
June 7.

Spring and Summer Complaints.

WHEN an article has obtained the reputation of being the most efficient remedy in use for all complaints arising from impurities of the blood, is it a wonder that such an article should be in more general use or receive higher recommendations than its competitors? Such an one is RANSON & STEVENS' Dandelion or Tomato Panacea, and its medicinal powers for eradicating disease from the system none have questioned.

Blood is the fluid from which are derived the materials for the formation and nutrition of all parts of the animal body; therefore the blood becoming disordered, humors must accumulate, and extend themselves throughout the system producing disease in its many shapes, and eventually destroy life itself unless some speedy remedy is found to banish it from the blood. The reasons why the Dandelion and Tomato Panacea is the proper remedy are many and obvious.

Firstly, it is composed of those Herbs and Roots, which rank first among the Vegetable productions of our own climate for their medicinal virtues.

Secondly, it is cheaper than any other preparation now in use, as it is more powerful, therefore requires a less quantity to effect a cure.

Thirdly, it has never been known to fail to perform all for which it is recommended;—with these reasons it is surprising that it should stand first among the numerous medicines of the day! Purchasers will be cautious and call for RANSON & STEVENS' Dandelion and Tomato Panacea, as there are many articles purporting to have the same effects, are yet inferior in their restorative powers and should not be mistaken for this Panacea.

CERTIFICATE

In giving this Certificate to the public, I consider myself but as discharging a duty which I owe to my fellow sufferers, and also to the merits of the Dandelion and Tomato Panacea: I had been for a long time suffering with a humor termed SCALD HEAD, to such a degree that my hair came out, and my face was loathsome to behold; I had tried several physicians, but they afforded me no relief, and I returned to my home, despairing of ever obtaining that relief, without which life was burdensome. By the advice of my friends, and the consent of the physician attending me, I was induced to procure of Mr. James Kidder, Jr. a bottle of his Dandelion and Tomato Panacea, and before I had used one bottle, my face was entirely cured, and all traces of disease obliterated, and I am now enjoying better health, than I have experienced for the last two years, which can only be attributed to the power of this valuable Panacea; and which I cheerfully recommend as the greatest medicine of the day, and which no invalid should fail to try.

SARAH E. BENNETT.
East Boston, April 12th, 1845.

Manufactured only, and sold wholesale and retail by JAMES KIDDER, Jr., Druggist and Chemist, East Boston, where all orders will be punctually attended to. Also for sale by my duly appointed Agents, Dr. R. R. Hazard, on the parade; R. J. Taylor, and C. G. C. Hazard, Thames street, Newport, R. I.

Wrapping Paper,

In great variety, for sale by
WM. C. COZZENS, & Co.
July 5.

SHAKERS HERBS.

AN assortment of culinary and medicinal Herbs, put up by the shakers at May 31.] R. J. TAYLOR'S.

Administrators Notice.

THE subscriber hereby gives notice that he has been appointed by the Court of Probate of the town of Newport, administrator on the estate of

JOHN CORBAN,

late of Newport, dec., and has taken upon himself that trust by giving bonds as the law directs, all persons having demands against the said estate are requested to present the same for settlement; and all persons indebted to make immediate payment to

PETER P. REMINGTON,

Administrator with the will annexed.
Newport, July 12.

April 17th, 1845.

THIS DAY OPENED BY

E. W. Lawton & Son,

A very large supply of
NEW & FASHIONABLE GOODS.

SELECTED during the last fortnight in Boston and New York, which they respectfully ask their friends and customers to call and examine.

Their Carpet Room has been replenished by new purchases with upwards of

8,000 YARDS

of Woolen Carpetings.

At all prices, from 50 cents to \$1.75 per yard, and corresponding additions of all the articles usually found in a Carpet Warehouse—such as Hearth Rugs, painted bookings, painted canvases, floor cloths, straw matting, door mats, list carpets, stair rods, &c. &c.

April 19.

New Goods,

James Phillips,

HAS just received a new style of Cassimeres, Linens, Vestings, Cravats, Tweeds, Cashmere for coats, &c., which are now open and for sale cheap.

All garments made to order, and warranted to fit. At 108 Thames street.
July 12.

STAGE NOTICE.

ON and after the 9th inst. a stage will leave Fall River daily, (Sunday excepted) at 8 1-2 o'clock, a. m. on the arrival of the cars from New Bedford for Newport, and arrive at 11 o'clock. Returning, will leave Newport daily at 2 1-2 o'clock, p. m. and arrive in Fall River in time to take the evening train of cars for New Bedford. Fare 75 cents each way.

R. B. KINSLEY & Co.

June 21.

FAHNESTOCK'S VERMIFUGE,

A fresh supply, at
July 10.] R. J. TAYLOR'S.

NOTICE.

HIGHEST quality of white lead, linseed oil, spirits of turpentine, glass of all kinds and sizes, copal, japan and bright varnishes, red lead, black do, glue, sponge, brushes of all kinds, boxes, gold leaf, rotten stone, bath brick, verdigrise, chalk, imperial green, ivory black, and every other article usually found in a Paint store, sold at the lowest cash prices, and on the most reasonable terms by

IRISH & STEVENS.

N. B. Particular attention paid to Papering.
[March 8.]

THE subscriber respectfully gives notice, that he has taken the Store, corner of Banister's wharf and Thames street, and directly opposite the Eagle Hotel, where he intends keeping a general assortment of Fruits, Preserves, Jellies, Spices, Catsups, Pickles, Macarons, Vermacilla, Nuts, bottled and Draft Ale; bottled Cider, Porter & Beer by the dozen or single bottle; bottled and Fountain Soda Water, with or without Syrups, by the doz. or single bottle; Havana and Principe Cigars; Fine Cut Chewing, Turkish and American Smoking Tobacco; Pipes, Bird Cages and Bird Seed; and a variety of other articles too numerous to mention. A share of public patronage respectfully solicited.

T. S. STANHOPE.

Newport, May 18th.—1f.

NOTICE.

THE undersigned respectfully informs his customers and the public that he has sold out his establishment, and given up his Painting business to Messrs. IRISH & STEVENS, who will continue the same at the old stand, 116, Thames street, and he cheerfully recommends them to the patronage of his friends and customers. All those indebted to the subscriber, and those having demands against him, are requested to call and settle the same immediately at the old stand.

WILLIAM STEVENS.

March 8, 1845.

STATE OF RHODE ISLAND, & C.

NEWPORT, s. c.—Clerks Office, Supreme Court.

WHEREAS MARTHA S. MILES, of the town and County of Newport, wife of Thomas R. Miles, hath this day filed her petition praying for certain reasons contained therein, that said Court would pass a decree dissolving the bonds of marriage now existing between her and the said Thomas;

Notice is hereby given to the said Thomas that he be and appear before said Court, next to be holden at Newport, within and for the county of Newport on the fourth Monday of August, 1845, (if he shall see fit,) and then and there to respond to said Petition.

WM. GILPIN, Clerk.

6w—July 12, 1845.

Marine and Fire Insurance

THE AMERICAN INSURANCE COMPANY, Providence, R. I. continue to insure against Loss or Damage by Fire, Cotton, Woolen, and other Manufactures, Building and Merchandise, and also against MARINE RISKS, on favorable terms. The capital stock is

\$150,000.

All paid in and well invested.—Directors elected June 6th, 1842:—
William Rhodes, Solomon Townsend,
William Kelly, Tully D. Bowen,
Robert R. Stafford, Nathaniel Bishop,
Amos D. Smith, George S. Rathbone,
Resolved Waterman, Caleb Harris and
Shubael Hutchings, James Bullock,
Ebenezer Kelley.

Persons wishing for Insurance are requested to direct their applications (which should be accompanied with a particular description of the property) per mail, to the resident Secretary of the Company, and the same will meet with prompt attention.

Applications for Insurance may be made in Newport to GEORGE BOWEN, Agent.
WILLIAM RHODES, President.
ALEX. O. PECK, Sec'y.
American Insurance Co's }
Office, July 14, 1842.

REMOVAL

James Phillips;

RESPECTFULLY informs his friends and the public generally, that he has taken the store No. 108 Thames street, formerly occupied by Tho's G. Brown & Son where he intends keeping an assortment of

DRY GOODS,

consisting of French, English and American Broadcloths, Cassimeres, Battine, Vestings, Summer Goods, Scarfs, Collars, Bosoms, Handkerchiefs, Gloves, Ready made Clothing, and all other articles usually kept by Tailors.

Having made an arrangement with Wm. H. Green, an experienced workman, he is prepared to make Garments to order in the most fashionable styles.

N. B. Please call and examine for yourselves, as all goods will be sold cheap.
Newport, March 13.

THE subscribers having been duly appointed by the Hon. Court of Probate of the town of Newport, Commissioners to receive, examine and allow the claims of the creditors of the estate of

JAMES T. SHERMAN,

late of Newport, dec., represented insolvent, and six months from this date being allowed by said Court, for the creditors of said estate to present and prove their respective claims before said Commissioners, we will attend at the office of Peter P. Remington, on the 2d Saturdays in November, December and January next, at 3 o'clock, p. m., for the purpose of deciding on such claims as may be presented against said estate.

JAMES LAWTON, } Commissioners.
JOSEPH M. HAMMETT, }
CHARLES N. TILLEY, }

Newport, July 7, 1845.
All persons indebted to said estate, are requested to make immediate payment to

PETER P. REMINGTON.

Adm'r with the Will annexed.

Administrator's Notice.

THE subscriber having been appointed Administrator de bonis non with the will annexed, of

GEORGE P. HAZARD,

late of Newport, dec. hereby gives notice to all persons indebted to the estate of said deceased that he is desirous of settling the same, and wishes immediate payment to be made to him. He also requests all persons having claims against said estate to present the same without delay.

THOMAS G. HAZARD,

Administrator de bonis non, with the will annexed.

May 17.]

Early Vegetables, IN GREAT VARIETY,

Will be received daily, and sold at New York prices, by
June 14. T. STACY, Jr.

ORANGE FLOWER AND ORRIS TOOTH PASTE,

highly recommended by Dentists, for sale by
R. J. TAYLOR.
May 3.

Rose, Peach, & Orange Flower Water, by the Gallon or Bottle, at

July 12.] R. J. TAYLOR'S.